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DECLARATION

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residences, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **MELANOMA VACCINE AND METHODS OF MAKING AND USING SAME**, the specification of which was filed on **October 18, 2000** as Application Serial No. **09/691,504**

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

PRIOR UNITED STATES APPLICATION(S)

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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